

## ANOTHER BALKAN POWER ABSORBED

Montenegro Arranges an Armistice With Austria.

### EXTENDS ADRIATIC FRONT

Italy Is Believed to Be the Power Most Directly Menaced by Austria's Success, as It Gives Germany's Ally Greater Control on the Sea.

London, Jan. 14.—Another decisive stage in the Balkan situation has been reached with Montenegro now following Serbia in virtual absorption by the invading forces. It was learned that Austria and Montenegro had come to an armistice, this being construed as the last act of the little country after having its capital, Cetinje, dominated by the Austrian capture of Mount Lovcen.

Whether King Nicholas will continue the unequal struggle is considered doubtful here, but the accepted view among the best posted men in London is that Montenegro has virtually passed under Austrian control.

The chief significance of this does not lie in the small territorial acquisition, which is less than Serbia, but in Montenegro's Adriatic front, lying alongside the Austrian main offensive naval station of Cattaro, where dispatches announce, the entire Austrian fleet, including three dreadnoughts, is assembled, and from which the recent naval raids were made against Italian troops going to the relief of Serbia.

This further extension of Austria's Adriatic front, with the dominating naval center of Cattaro, is viewed as further lending toward the realization of Austria's object of making the Adriatic an Austrian sea and thus checking Italy's ambition to make it an Italian sea.

Italy had so much at stake that officials and diplomats had been waiting anxiously for the steps Italy would take to relieve Montenegro and at the same time avert another Austrian extension on the Adriatic.

They were aware that Italy had once before prevented Austria from gaining territorial concessions from Montenegro near Cattaro by emphatically objecting to the treaty made in 1912. As Italy was then a member of the triple alliance Austria reluctantly yielded to the Italian objection.

It was believed that dynastic reasons would play a part in Italy's assistance of Montenegro, as King Nicholas' daughter is the wife of the king of Italy, but help from that quarter did not arrive, as the Italian expedition was landed further south, in Albania, and has not been heard from since.

The London Times asserts that Italy's interests in Montenegro are as important as England's in the opening of the Dardanelles and that the prospective annihilation of Montenegro will have far-reaching maritime consequences in the Mediterranean.

### HIT BY SHIP REQUISITION

New Orleans Cotton Men Say Italian Action Hurts Trade.

New Orleans, Jan. 14.—Officials of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange appealed to the state department at Washington to seek release from the recent Italian requisition order of enough Italian merchant ships to relieve the serious congestion of cotton here.

Virtually all cotton exports from gulf ports to Italy, the appeal said, normally is carried by the vessels of the Pierce-Cottonier and Creole lines, which were requisitioned ten days ago.

### EMPEROR WILLIAM BETTER

Boil on German Ruler's Neck Is Healing Rapidly.

Berlin, Jan. 14.—Emperor William again is in good health. He takes his usual walks in Potsdam in pleasant weather. The boil on the emperor's neck has so far healed that he is wearing his uniform again.

An official who conversed with the emperor Wednesday and Thursday said he was in exceptionally good spirits and that there was nothing to justify the pessimistic reports about him which have been printed abroad.

### RAILWAY BRIDGE BLOWN UP

Allies at Saloniki Take Steps to Protect Right Flank.

Saloniki, Jan. 14.—The important railroad bridge over the Struma river at Demir-Hissar has been blown up by French engineers as a precautionary measure.

The bridge, about fifty miles north-east of Saloniki, just south of the Bulgarian frontier, is one of the first possible points of contact between a force moving against the right of the allies' Saloniki defenses.

### GENERAL CADORNA.

Italian Commander-in-Chief Returns to Rome From Front.



Photo by American Press Association.

Lieutenant General Count Cadorna, commander-in-chief of the Italian army, has returned to Rome from the front on a twenty days' furlough. King Victor Emmanuel also is back from the front.

## ITALIAN LINER OFF WITH GUNS ON DECK

New York, Jan. 14.—The Italian liner Giuseppe Verdi sailed for Naples with its two three-inch guns still mounted on its after deck.

It was permitted to clear on the receipt of assurances that the pieces are to be used only for defense.

Word came from Washington to Colonel of the Port Malone that the Italian government had given such assurances to the state department and that the Verdi's clearance papers might be granted.

It carried 600 passengers.

### AMERICA CREDITOR NATION

Sir Edward Carson Sees Danger in Adjusting Conditions.

London, Jan. 14.—Sir Edward Carson, former attorney general, described the rise of the United States as a creditor nation in a vigorous speech in the house of commons as the debate was closing.

"There will be a great shifting, for a time at all events, of the center of commercial power in the world," he said. "We shall have to contend with the great friendly nation in the West, which before the war was a debtor nation. After the war it probably will be the chief creditor nation of the world."

### ITALIANS SEEK WAR LOAN

Mayor of Rome Urges Subscriptions as National Duty.

Rome, Jan. 14.—A large crowd, among which were members of the government, senators, deputies, diplomats and various high officials, assembled at the capitol and heard Prince Colonna, mayor of Rome, former Premier Luzzatti and Minister of the Treasury Carcano deliver patriotic speeches, urging the people to subscribe to the war loan as a national duty.

The speaker pointed out the excellent state of Italian finances.

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AMERICAN MUNITIONS EXPORTS ARE LARGE.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Ammunition, not including dynamite, to the value of \$121,742, 947 was shipped to Europe from the United States during fifteen months ending October, 1915, according to figures prepared by the department of commerce presented to the senate by Chairman Stone of the foreign relations committee.

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Small Town Bars Doomed.  
Glasgow, Mont., Jan. 14.—Fully 300 saloons in Montana go out of business under a law passed by the last legislature, which became operative Jan. 1. Attorney General J. B. Poindexter has given an opinion on the law which bars saloons in towns of less than fifty bona fide residents.

## LATEST WAR NEWS

### ARMISTICE WITH MONTENEGRO DECLARED

(By United Press)

Rome, Jan. 14.—Austrian artillery was trained on Cetinje and Austrian gunners were awaiting the signal to lay Cetinje in ruins, when King Nicholas signed an armistice that practically eliminates Montenegro from the war.

### MONTENEGRIN CAPITAL OCCUPIED BY AUSTRIANS

(By United Press)

Vienna, Jan. 14.—It is officially stated that the Austrians have occupied Cetinje, the Montenegrin capital. The Austrians are pursuing the enemy. They entered Cetinje unharmed, the populace being calm.

### TURKS ENTER PERSIAN CITY

(By United Press)

Constantinople, Jan. 14.—It is officially announced that the Turks have entered the Persian city of Kermanshah, a very important event.

### KAISER NEVER WAS IN BED

(By United Press)

New York, Jan. 14.—The imperial German Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg personally cabled to the United Press that the kaiser never was confined to his bed.

### Price Case Goes to Jury

(By United Press)

Minneapolis, Jan. 14.—The Frederick Price jury is expected to get the case this afternoon at four o'clock. Attorney Brady is pleading this afternoon. Prosecuting Attorney Armstrong pleaded this morning. He called attention to the tear in Mrs. Price's glove. He said if Price did not take slugs of whiskey he could have made a more accurate cut in the glove to get the diamond. He attacked the testimony of Doctor Cowles. He said Cowles went to school to such men as Dr. Robertson, who testified for the state.

### Menace Publishers are Acquitted

(By United Press)

Joplin, Mo.—The Menace publishers have been acquitted.

### Ford Delegates Fight at Christiania

(By United Press)

The Hague, Jan. 14.—A wild scene preceded Henry Ford's departure from the peace expedition at Christiania. Several peace leaders exchanged blows before Ford sped away in an automobile. He took the train to Bergen from whence he sailed to New York. It is understood that Ford then for the first time investigated Madame Schwimmer's claims that she had documents that the warring and neutral European countries wanted peace. He found they were politely phrased declarations of nothing, in fact worthless. This followed a scrap aboard the ship on account of Wilson's preparedness program. Ford was disconsolate and discouraged as he expected an enthusiastic Scandinavian reception. Highly disappointed, he determined to leave the party. Madame Schwimmer's followers thought he was kidnapped. They attacked his chauffeur, then the fight followed.

### Wins a Bride on Battlefront

(By United Press)

London, Jan. 14.—One of the real romances of the war will culminate soon at Amsterdam in the marriage of Lieut. H. G. Rawlins, of Bourne-mouth, Eng., formerly of Seattle, Wash., to Miss E. De Jong. At the outbreak of the war, Lieutenant Rawlins, living at Seattle, enlisted at the office of the British consul there. Returning to England he was commissioned an officer in the Royal Naval Division and went to Antwerp with Winston Churchill's naval brigade. Rawlins met his future bride in the military hospital at Amsterdam after his brigade was forced to retreat into Holland. The hospital was in charge of Dr. De Jong, who often brought his comely daughter to visit the wounded. It was love at first sight when she saw Lieutenant Rawlins.

### British Government Wants to Know

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 14.—The British embassy is preparing a request to the state department for information as to what this government intends doing in Mexico. They understand two British citizens were killed and that strikers elsewhere are damaging British property.

### Railway Men Defy Government

(By United Press)

London, Jan. 14.—The National Railwaymen's Union, one of the strongest labor organizations, has defied the government to enact the conscription bill, in the most drastic resolution. The executive committee declared the body would resist conscription to the uttermost. It is hinted that the immediate strike of all railway workers in England if the bill is passed.

### Austrian Charge Cables for Instructions

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 14.—The Austrian charge Zwiedink cabled his government for instructions as to how he should proceed on this government allowing the Italian steamer Verdi to leave New York with two three inch guns. It is believed representations to the United States will follow.

### Will Not Send Troops Across Border

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 14.—That no armed troops will be sent across the Mexican border at this time was plainly indicated following a half hour's conference between President Wilson and Senator Stone, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations committee.

### Confessions Gotten By 3rd Degree Method

(By United Press)

Providence, R. I., Jan. 14.—In the Mohr trial Police Commissioner Moulton practically admitted that the negroes' confessions were secured through third degree methods. Mrs. Mohr was pleased with the admission.

### Robber Gets \$25,000 in Alabama Bank

(By United Press)

Clayton, Ala., Jan. 14.—The safe of the bank was cracked and \$25,000 was taken. A posse is pursuing.

### Old Officers are Re-elected

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Jan. 14.—All Minnesota State Agricultural Society officers were re-elected.

### GENERAL HUERTA.

Former President of Mexico Passes Away.



Photo by American Press Association.

## GENERAL HUERTA DIES AT EL PASO

Former President of Mexico Had Stirring Career.

### WAS SIXTY-TWO YEARS OLD

Deceased Was a Professional Soldier and Fought Loyal for President Diaz Until His Downfall—Huerta Took Office as President in 1913.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 14.—General Huerta, who succeeded General Francisco I. Madero in executive power in Mexico City and later left Mexico, died of sclerosis of the liver. He was surrounded by his family when the end came. His death was not unexpected.

General Victoriano Huerta was a professional soldier and as such up to the overthrow of President Francisco Madero he had been known for his loyal support of the existing governments. He fought loyally for President Porfirio Diaz until his fall and when Diaz was no longer chief executive Huerta fought for Francisco de la Barra, the provisional president.

After Francisco Madero was elected Huerta found it to be his duty to support one who had so long fought as a rebel. His loyalty was not challenged until the Felix Diaz revolution in Mexico City in February, 1913, when the Madero government was overthrown completely and Huerta himself elevated to the presidency.

Born at Chihuahua in 1854 he entered the military academy of Chapultepec when seventeen. On graduation in 1875 he was commissioned second lieutenant of engineers.

Saw Much Active Service.

During the ensuing years Huerta saw much active service. In 1901 he took command of the infantry in the campaign against the Yaqui Indians. After this campaign he was put in charge of the general staff's topographical work in Sonora. He participated in subsequent Yaqui campaigns and also in the campaign in Yucatan against the Maya Indians.

Huerta was the moving spirit in the consummation of the plot that resulted in the seizure of the person of President Madero and his brother Gustavo.

Huerta took office as provisional president on Feb. 19, 1913. Three days afterward Francisco Madero, one of his brothers who had been arrested with him, and Jose Maria Pino Suarez, vice president under Madero, were assassinated while riding under guard from the palace to the penitentiary.

This crime aroused a storm of indignation throughout the United States. In many quarters there were demands for intervention, but President Taft, who was on the eve of leaving office, decided to take no action which might commit the incoming administration of President Wilson.

Immediately on assuming office President Wilson refused to recognize Huerta as the head of the Mexican government.

### MARTIAL LAW AT EL PASO

Riots Occur in Texas City After Massacres in Mexico.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 14.—Martial law was declared in El Paso after riots due to the indignation of the people over the massacre of Americans in Mexico had broken out in the city.

Mexicans all over the city were rounded up by the soldiers, armed civilians and policemen and either deported or thrown into jail on vagrancy charges.

There were many fights between Mexicans and Americans. Ambulances were kept busy.

### WARN AMERICAN SHIPPERS

Grain Cargoes Reaching Foreign Ports in Poor Condition.

Washington, Jan. 14.—American shippers are warned in consular dispatches received that wheat and other grain cargoes arriving in foreign ports are in bad condition and that the effect seriously is injuring their interests in export trade generally.

Consular officials urged that greater care should be exercised in preparing grain for shipment, both at interior points and points of departure.

### HANNA NOW CONVALESCENT

North Dakota Governor Will Sail for Home Next Week.

Copenhagen, Jan. 14.—Governor L. B. Hanna of North Dakota, who was taken seriously ill some time ago while with the Ford peace party and has been in a hospital here, is now convalescent.

He will start on his return to America next week, together with his friend, Sam Clark, who remained here with the governor during his illness.

### Passengers Who Lived in Terror on Sinking Thessalonki



This is a group of Greek immigrants to the United States who lived in terror for days on the steamer Thessalonki, which was finally abandoned in the Atlantic ocean. They came in with the story that the captain of the vessel had refused aid from others when his ship was almost sinking. Kalistratos Glavas, a Greek Priest of Cedar Rapids, Ia., went among the immigrants and prayed when the storm was at its worst. He also helped calm them when they made threats against the captain.

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PLEA FOR INDIAN BABIES  
Commissioner Sells Sends Appeal to Every Employe.  
Washington, Jan. 14.—In an appeal entitled "Save the Indian Babies," sent out to every employe of the United States Indian service, Cato Sells, commissioner of Indian affairs, cites statistics showing that approximately three-fifths of the Indian infants die before they are five years old. "Of what use to this mournful

### Ordered to Leave Mexico.

Eagle Pass, Tex., Jan. 14.—All employes of the American Smelting and Refining company have been ordered to leave Mexico in a telegram from the company's office at El Paso.

Indian schools?" he asks. In outlining his plan the commissioner urges the elimination of what he terms "intolerable" conditions that infect some Indian homes and extension of the educational propaganda against disease.



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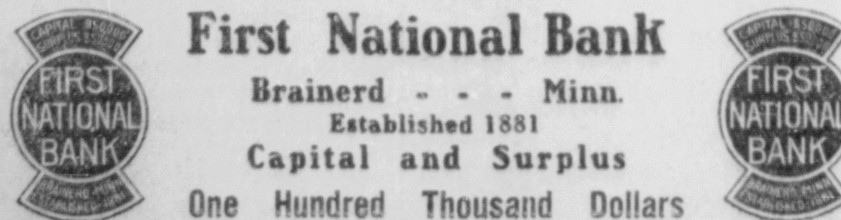
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**THE WEATHER**

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours  
Cold.

January 13—maximum 14 below, minimum 42 below.

**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

G. F. Kerr went to Bemidji this afternoon.

M. McNair, of Pillager, was in the city Friday.

Mrs. Henry I. Cohen is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Wm. Sasses is sick at the Northern Pacific hospital.

January 15 and 17 Big 9c Sale at Luken's Store.

Phillip Daveaux visited friends in Little Falls Monday.

For Spring Water Phone 264. Harry Patek has been at Milwaukee on business matters.

Henry I. Cohen has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Saturday and Monday Big 9c Sale at Luken's Store.

W. A. Kannenberg is attending to business matters in Little Falls.

Representative Edward R. Syverson, of Ironton, was in the city on business Friday.

Aurora Lodge, A. F. & A. M., worked in the Entered Apprentice degree on Tuesday evening.

The Y. M. C. A. basketball team defeated the Henry Cunningham high school quint 30 to 19.

E. A. Lamb, a prominent real estate man of Ironton and Deerwood, was in the city Friday.

Saturday and Monday, Wonderful Bargains. Big 9c Sale at Luken's Store.

Mrs. John Kohlihaas has returned from Minneapolis where she visited her son and daughter.

Kepthe Code, age 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Code, was badly scalded when a pot of tea was upset by him.

For sale—all my household furniture. Jas. Cullen, 211 6th St. N. 187lf

Miss Eleanor Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Anderson, was operated on for appendicitis and is recovering.

January 15 and 17 Big 9c Sale at Luken's Store.

Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Stacey are the parents of a handsome baby girl. Rev. Stacey is rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

Go to Oberst's and get a pair of Men's \$3.50 sewed shoes for \$2.95. By all means read the advertisements. Store news is of as much value to the housekeeper as any other news in the paper.

The Fireside club of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church met Friday evening at the home of Jens Molstad, 704 Oak street.

Glasses properly fitted. Dr. Long.

Senator George H. Gardner went to St. Paul this afternoon and before

returning will also confer with Governor J. A. A. Burnquist.

Saturday and Monday, Big 9c Sale at Luken's Store.

I. C. Edwards, D. C., will leave this evening for Fergus Falls to attend to professional matters and on Saturday will visit Minneapolis.

Prof. J. A. Wilson, serving on the federal grand jury, returned Friday to Brainerd, having been excused from service until next Monday.

By reading the store advertisements today you may safely decide as to which of the stores are most useful to you in solving your buying problems.

Saturday and Monday, Wonderful Bargains. Big 9c Sale at Luken's Store.

A merchant must make his store and its offerings worth while to you so as to make his advertising worth while. Every merchant whose ad appears in the Dispatch has done so.

Owing to short hours in the shops, the First National bank and the Citizens State bank of Brainerd will keep open until 6 o'clock in the evenings on paydays, the 15th and 30th of the month.

\$2.95 will buy any \$3.50 men's shoes at Oberst's Shoe store.

The Brainerd Choral club will meet on Tuesday evening, January 18. A new director will be chosen. Music which will probably be taken up will be "The Holy City" by Gaul. A music committee will be appointed.

The Mill Mission Sunday school elected these officers: Superintendent Chas. Swindells; assistant superintendent Fred Cartwright; secretary Miss Pearl Wayne; assistant secretary Miss Mabel Olson; treasurer Mr. Jackson; organist Miss Mabel Olson; chorister Arthur Cartwright.

Why pay \$3.50 for Men's shoes when you can buy this grade at Oberst's for \$2.95.

Thirty-three years ago George D. LaBar, president of the First National bank of Brainerd, arrived in the city. He started to work in the bank at 15 years of age. Previously he had been an operator and engaged in station work on the Milwaukee road. He made his home where W. H. Onstine's now is. It was a cold day when he arrived, just as cold as it was yesterday. The next day was Sunday and Mr. LaBar went to church and froze his cheeks.

Military preparedness? Nonsense. When the present war is ended the Democratic Party and the Security National Loan Company will be the only things left to shoot at. The latter pays 7% to investors. 184-1f

**GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES****Duluth Wheat and Flax.**

Duluth, Jan. 13.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.26½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.25½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.21½; flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.40.

**St. Paul Grain.**

St. Paul, Jan. 13.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.26½@1.29½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.22½@1.25½; No. 3 Montana hard, \$1.24½@1.25½; corn, 75½@76½; oats, 45½@46; barley, 67½@70; rye, 94½@95½; flax, \$2.39½.

**Chicago Live Stock.**

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Cattle—Steers, \$6.50@9.80; cows and heifers, \$2.30@5.50; calves, \$7.25@10.75. Hogs—Light, \$7.00@7.45; mixed, \$7.00@7.60; heavy, \$7.00@7.65; rough, \$7.00@7.15; pigs, \$5.70@6.75. Sheep—Native, \$7.10@7.75; lambs, \$8.40@10.75.

**Chicago Grain and Provisions.**

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Wheat—May, \$1.28½; July, \$1.21½. Corn—May, 80½c; July, 80½c. Oats—May, 50½c; July, 49½c. Pork—Jan., \$19.50; May, \$19.62½. Butter—Creameries, 28@30½c. Eggs—29@31½c. Poultry—Springs, 15½c; fowls, 15½c; turkeys, 18c.

**Minneapolis Grain.**

Minneapolis, Jan. 13.—Wheat—May, \$1.26½; July, \$1.24½. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.30½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.26½@1.26½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.22½@1.25½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.16½@1.21½; No. 3 yellow corn, 75½@76½c; No. 3 white oats, 45½@46c; flax, \$2.39½.

**South St. Paul Live Stock.**

South St. Paul, Jan. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steers, \$3.75@8.75; cows and heifers, \$4.25@6.75; calves, \$4.50@9.25; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@7.00. Hogs—Receipts, 11,700; range, \$6.45@6.65. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; lambs, \$5.00@9.75; wethers, \$5.00@6.50; ewes, \$2.50@6.25.

**St. Paul Hay.**

St. Paul, Jan. 13.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$15.00; No. 1 timothy, \$13.50@14.25; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$11.50@12.25; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$12.00@12.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$12.00@12.75; choice upland, \$14.00; No. 1 upland, \$12.50@13.00; No. 1 midland, \$9.00@9.75; No. 1 alfalfa, \$16.00@16.75.

**At the Singing Contest.**

She—What's the difference between first bass and second? He—About ninety feet.—Columbia Jester.

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The light opera favorites, the Albion Duo, appear in their clever production which appeals to all. The team consists of Mary Surett and company. Their Alpine songs and costumes are unequalled.

The Nightingale Trio, famous the country over in vaudeville circles, cannot be too highly lauded. Their dancing and singing are of the highest order.

The comedy drama skit, "His Night Out" is the laughing hit of the season. This act alone is well worth the price of admission and includes

in the cast the well known vaudeville actress, Betty Branden, who is ably assisted by her brilliant company.

The "Dancing Wagner," the boy with the careless feet, performs the latest dances and is capable of putting Vernon Castle in the background.

The photo drama shown will be, "The Heights of Hazard," a picturization of the famous novel of Cyrus Townsend Brady featuring the distinguished star, Charles Richmond. A four piece orchestra will play. The prices will be 10c, 20c and 30c.

**ORIGINAL UNCLE TOM DEAD**

Sam Lucas, Veteran Negro Actor, Dies at Age of Seventy-five.

New York, Jan. 14.—Samuel Lucas, a negro, who had played with the famous old Boston museum stock company and was said to be the first man to have played Uncle Tom in "Uncle Tom's Cabin" when that novel was dramatized in Civil war days, is dead. He was seventy-five years old.

**Safety First.**

Passenger (to colored porter)—Excuse me, but please tell me when the breakfast opens.

Colored Porter—We's just had our coffee and rolls, so it's all ready for the guests now.—Judge.

**When's an American not an American**

By Ed L. Keen

United Press Staff Correspondent  
London, Jan. 14.—When is an American not an American? That is a hard nut to crack, according to the American embassy in London. Rather, it is a whole bushel of hard nuts to crack. But some of the nuts have been cracked, it was learned today, with the result that scores of "Americans" in England are now without a country.

The issuance of passports is one of the embassy's most troublesome duties. Numerous Americans who have resided in England for ten, fifteen or twenty years decided after the war began, and more particularly after the Zeppelins put London on their calling list, that they had better inquire into their citizenship. All wanted American passports. Some wanted to go back to America. Others were bound for France or other comparatively Zeppelin-less climes. There was the rub.

Passport officials at Uncle Sam's London address struggled with the problem. The applicants, many of them with English accent, so long had they been out of touch with the Statue of Liberty, were forced to answer imposing lists of questions, which were forwarded to the State Department at Washington.

The Department of State, acting on a musty and long unused law, decreed that to be recognized as an American in a foreign country, a person must report to the proper American authorities at various times; duly pay taxes in America if he or she has enough property to be taxed; or make a visit home once in a while. A great many Anglicized Americans had failed in this, in whole or in part. They are now persons without a country. A passport is required to go most anywhere at present. So America's lost citizens are marooned—in England.

**Beginning of the Germ Theory.**

Agostino Bassi, a country doctor in the north of Italy, early in the last century was the starter of the germ theory of disease. At that time a peculiar disease was killing the silkworms, bringing ruin to the whole silk country of Italy. Bassi, by the microscope, discovered the germ which is the cause of the disease. The germ later was named Botritis bassiana. Bassi believed and stated that human diseases were also caused by germs. Bassi's work was sneered at and pooh-poohed by his fellow men and physicians, and he failed to make a lasting impression, thereby losing great glory for Italy.

**MUNITIONS EMBARGO ASKED**

Petition Bearing 50,000 Signatures Is Submitted to Congress.

Washington, Jan. 14.—A petition bearing 50,000 signatures asking congress to declare an embargo on munitions of war was submitted to the house foreign affairs committee by Representative Bennett of New York.

**Putting It Gently.**

Mr. Henpeck—I hear that young Jones and his wife are not getting along very well. Mrs. Henpeck (authoritatively)—Jones should never have married when he did. He was too young to realize the step he was taking. Mr. Henpeck—Yes, I know. But I like the boy. We have many things in common.

**Weeds.**

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FOR RENT—Barn, cheap. 722 So. Broadway.

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FOR RENT—Flat for rent. Inquire of Brainerd Electric Co. 710 Laurel Street. 179lf

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FOR SALE—Office desk and chair, at D. E. Nelson's office. 189-12p

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two couches and a table. 723 Fifth street So. 186-13p

FOR SALE—Two corner lots corner of Summit and Eighth streets S., Howe and Spalding Addn., \$100. E. R. Smith. 4-7-11-14

FOR SALE—Hup roadster, electric starter and lights, \$350 cash takes it. E. R. Smith Auto Co. Jan. 12-14-15-17-19-21-22

**MISCELLANEOUS**

WANTED—To buy land, improved or unimproved in Crow Wing and Aitkin counties. Inquire of John J. McAuliffe, 608 Alworth building, Duluth. 189-1mo

WANTED—Housekeeping rooms or board and rooms in private family by quiet business couple (no children). Must be modern with home comforts—near to First National bank corner. Address "Business," care Dispatch. 187

LOST—Lady's purse containing gold watch, fountain pen and about \$5 in money between Brainerd and Flak, Minn. Finder please return the watch, pen and purse to the Dispatch office and keep the money for their reward. Eunice Batdorf. 185-d3p-v2

**This Happened in Boston.**

Teacher—Emerson, what is "spilling the beans?"  
Emerson—Sang, me am, and vicious, sang at that.

Teacher—I mean can you give me the definition of it?  
Emerson—Yes, me'am. "Spilling the beans" in its best colloquial sense is the unpremeditated extemporaneous promulgating of information concerning which one should have been much more reticently inclined.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.



## WOMAN'S REALM

MUSICAL CLUB  
MEETS SATURDAY

Afternoon of January 15 in Charge of Mesdames Howard Ingersoll and Walter F. Wieland

## THE PROGRAM AS GIVEN

Participants are Mrs. G. D. LaBar, S. F. Alderman, Edwin Harris Bergh, and the Hostesses

Saturday, January 15 at the Brainerd Musical club will be in charge of Mesdames Howard G. Ingersoll and Walter F. Wieland. This program will be given:

- Symphony, B flat Major ..... Robt. Schumann
- Andante-Scherzo-Allegro ..... Mrs. Ingersoll, Mrs. Wieland
- Aria, "La Reine de Saba" ..... Gounod
- Mr. S. F. Alderman
- "The First Song" ..... Carl Potze
- Mrs. LaBar, Mr. Alderman
- Sonata, No. 1 ..... Mozart
- Mr. Bergh
- "Phyllis" ..... Logan
- (a) "Phyllis" ..... Logan
- (b) "Oh Lovely Night" ..... Ronald
- Violin obligato
- (c) "When Day is Done" ..... Sterling
- (String Quintet)

## Clover Leaf Society

The Clover Leaf society of the First Congregational church will meet at the home of Miss Lyol Kitchen, on Friday, January 14, at 7:30.

The following program will be rendered:

Piano Selection.....Miss Lyol Kitchen  
Vocal Solo .....Rev. G. P. Sheridan  
Duet.....

Misses Ethel Thomas and Florence Weaver

Vocal Solo.....Miss Ruth Robinson  
Violin Solo.....Miss Fern Hitt

## Willing Workers

The Willing Workers of the Evangelical church of Northeast Brainerd were pleasantly entertained by Raymond Woerner Tuesday evening. The home was decorated with Japanese lanterns. Covers were laid for 18. The boys voted him a royal entertainer.

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25 lb. Sack pure cane sugar.....\$1.25  
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Standard tomatoes, per doz. ....1.15  
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Honey Cream cookies, per box.....39c  
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Minced Ham ..... sauce.  
Veal Loaf ..... Blood Sausage  
Head Cheese ..... Plain.  
Liver Sausage ..... Blood Sausage  
Braunschweiger ..... with Tongue.  
Leona Sausage ..... Jellied Souse  
Potato Sausage ..... Summer Sausage  
White Sausage ..... Italian Salami.

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323 So. 6th Street

LEAP YEAR  
DANCE GIVEN

First One of the Season with the Young Ladies' Sodality as the Hostesses at

## CITIZENS STATE BANK HALL

Forty Couples were Present, Young Ladies Asked the Boys and Did All Entertaining

The first Leap Year dance of the season was given by the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Francis Catholic church on Thursday evening at the Citizens State bank hall and over forty couples were present.

The young ladies did the inviting, they provided all entertainment and exercised nearly all their Leap Year prerogatives. The young men had a jolly time, for who does not like to have somebody fussing over him and seeing that he is enjoying himself.

Walter Frampton furnished the music. The hall was decorated with the figures 1916 and big question marks. So successful was the dance that another may be given in the near future.

Feather's From  
a Peacock's Tail

BY MARGARET MASON

(Written for the United Press)

If you're a superstitious Sue The Fashion won't appeal to you, Of wearing without qualm or quail The feathers from a peacock's tail.

New York, Jan. 14.—If lovely woman will wear borrowed plumage, quite the most artistic and fashionable place to borrow it at the present moment is from the tail of a peacock. That is, of course, if she counts thirteen as her lucky number, doesn't mind opening an umbrella indoors and laughs shattered mirrors to scorn. It isn't strange that the peacock should come into its own again as a modish fowl, considering it has ever been a symbol of vanity and the household pet of June in her early days of light house keeping on Mount Olympus.

Now the gorgeous feathers are used not only as fans, in head dresses for evening and as a garniture for hats, but the lovely blue and green eyes of the feathers are utilized in any number of ingenious ways as gown and wrap trimmings.

At a smart literary tea the other afternoon appeared a veritable Peacock Lady whose penchant for the plumes was carried to unique lengths. The buttons of her heavy, loose wrap were made of the eyes of the peacock feathers under discs of glass backed and bound in gilt. She also wore a charm on a long chain of blue and green enamel made of double glass discs rimmed in gold and revealing a peacock eye on each side.

Her hat was a close fitting turban formed of the iridescent bluish green breast feathers of the bird, while a wonderful scarf of the breast feathers now form the motif of embroidered designs on many rich evening gowns and wraps and the craze for peacock jewelry steadily gains. Rings and brooches showing the fowl in its entirety, have its tail encrusted with semi-precious sparkling stones of green and blue. Either with its tail drooping or reared and proudly unfurled like a fan in all its glory, the clever metal and gem craftsmen depict the peacock on combs for the hair, shoe buckles, pendants.

The tiny gold or silver, gem encrusted birds even swing in Beauty's ears. They are spangled or beaded on hand bags and hosiery in effective exterior decoration of the frail and fair; also the buxom and brunette. For interior decoration, Sterner the artist has proved their effectiveness in his own beautiful home.

So here you have the tale of the peacock's fashionable tail and all its entails.

## Sunbeam Circle

The Sunbeam Circle will meet at Mrs. Ole Larson, 612 North Ninth street on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

## Strong and Well as Ever

Fred Smith, Green Bay, Wis., says: "Foley Kidney Pills completely relieved me of all soreness and pain in the back and I am now strong and well as ever." Cold weather makes aching joints, sore muscles and irregular bladder action more unbearable. Foley Kidney Pills help the kidneys eliminate pain-causing poisons. H. P. Dunn.—Adv't. mwf

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Opens Saturday, January 15th

Men's and Young Men's Overcoats and Suits at a Big Saving

This is the event you have been waiting for. This Sale of High Grade Suits and Overcoats should appeal to you. Our guarantee as well as the makers goes with every garment. Your money back if you are not satisfied. : : : : : : : : :

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\$25.00 Values	\$18.50	\$25.00 Values	\$18.50
\$22.50 Values	\$16.50	\$22.50 values	\$16.50
\$20.00 Values	\$14.50	\$20.00 values	\$14.50
\$18.00 Values	\$12.50	\$18.00 values	\$12.50
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Special lot of young men's suits, sizes 33 to 36. A \$10.00 Take advantage of these BARGAINS. These prices should appeal to everyone—Young and Old.

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## WORLD'S FASHION NEWS

Skating Apparel, Homespuns in Soft Pastel Shades Fashioned into Fetching Skating Suits

And now everyone is skating, and many of the indoor skating rinks have arranged to be open until late in the spring. Most fascinating are the new things which are being designed in skating apparel.

Homespun in soft pastel shades are being fashioned into fetching skating suits. The new glove-skin cloths are being used for the same purpose, and as a substitute for fur, a curled wool material is being supplied in hands at the edges and is also being used for collars and cuffs.

Skating shoes of white buckskin are the appropriate accompaniment of a suit of this kind and excellent models are now to be had.

Jersey cloth is one of the sensations of the season. The leading courtyards cannot get enough of it. It is being used in all kinds of silk and wool weaves and for all conceivable purposes. At the Blackstone, a smartly gowned woman was recently seen wearing a raincoat of this material, which was very effective, though one might have doubts as to its practicability. The woman of fashion, however, chooses her raincoat, as well as other items in her wardrobe, with a view to charm even more than use, and since the only time it actually comes in contact with the weather is while she steps from her motor into a tea-room or the home of a friend, its possible shortcomings do not trouble her.

Velours de laine and beige worsted are other materials of which effective raincoats were fashioned during the recent rainy spell.

Some of the latest London Dressing cases are wonders of construction. In addition to the usual toilet accessories, they are provided with

receptacles galore for perfumes, cold creams, colognes and other feminine luxuries. A beautiful case in dull blue leather with equipment in gold and blue enamel had even a tiny clock in it and all the conveniences for letter writing.

The new hand bags, too, are wonderfully lovely. A particularly beautiful one is made of yellow velvet in a soft dull tone with rather severe mountings of yellow ivory.—From H. W. Gossard Co.—Courtesy of H. P. Michael Co.

EAT BIG MEALS! NO  
SOUR, ACID STOMACH,  
INDIGESTION OR GAS

"Pape's Diapepsin" is Quickest, Surest Stomach Relief Known—Try It

Time it! Pape's Diapepsin will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach surely within five minutes. If your meals don't fit comfortably or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches, dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all

stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to keep the entire family free from stomach disorders and indigestion for many months. It belongs in your home.—Adv't

Farmers' Parcel  
Post Marketing

Washington, D. C.—The farmer who wishes to sell his products by parcel post and the housewife who wishes to use this method of securing country produce for her table, will find many useful points in Farmers' Bulletin 703, "Suggestions for Parcel Post Marketing." This bulletin, in addition to explaining the postal rates and measurement limits for parcel post matter, discusses in some detail the types of containers which are most successful and the methods of grading and packing produce, so that it will reach the consumer in good condition, and be attractive in quality and appearance. In treating standards for parcel post shipments, the bulletin tells how to select, handle and pack poultry, and how to grade and pack the various fruits and vegetables which the average farmer is likely to market through the post office.

The bulletin points out that one of the common obstacles to establishing parcel post communication between farmer and consumer may be unwilling to offer goods at a price which attracts the consumer, or that the consumer may offer a price lower than the farmer can obtain at a local market. To quote the bulletin:

"Not only must the farmer have something additional to the usual price to compensate him for the extra work, container, and postage re-

quired, but the consumer must also have something to attract him to marketing by parcel post. In determining what the price shall be, both the farm price and the retail price paid by the consumer when he markets in the ordinary way should be taken into consideration. The consumer must receive either a better article of the grade usually purchased at some concession in price.

"It is probable that the point which will make the strongest appeal to the average consumer is that he can secure by parcel post a fresher, brighter, more attractive, and thus possibly a better product than he can obtain otherwise.

"The average producer, as a rule, does not realize the importance of appearance as a factor in selling goods and frequently is careless and indifferent in preparing produce for market. The consumer, on the other hand, relies very largely upon appearance in selecting food supplies, and unattractive articles are passed by promptly.

"A personal acquaintance should be established between producer and consumer, when they come into business contact. This will help a great deal in furthering parcel post marketing, and also will eliminate many of the misunderstandings which may occur from time to time. A definite understanding should exist as to the duties of each in regard to remittances, claims for damaged or spoiled produce, and the preservation and return of containers."

## Our Jitney Offer—This and 5c

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn.—Adv't. mwf

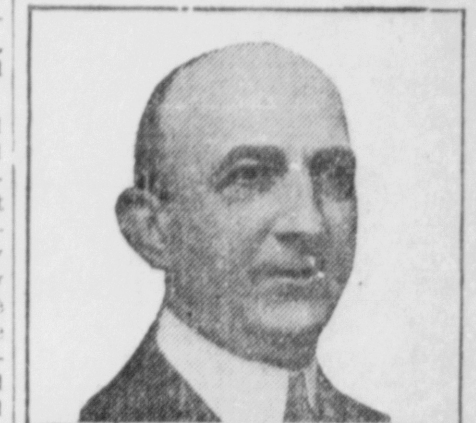
## A Wet Spot.

With an annual rainfall exceeding 600 inches, southern Assam is the world's wettest region.

Where to Begin.  
"Look here," said the reforming husband. "We must have things arranged in this house so that we shall know just where everything is kept."  
"With all my heart," sweetly answered his wife, "and let us begin with your late hours, my love. I should very much like to know where they are kept."—Stray Stories.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, 1916.

## With Allied Armies in the Balkans

NOTE—Following is the first of seven installments of the most gripping narratives of the war in which William G. Shepherd, United Press correspondent with the allied armies in the Balkans gives the first closeup picture of the allies retreat from Serbia. It was passed by the censors only under pledge that it would not be cabled but would be sent to New York by mail to make sure that the enemy should not profit by any information contained. It ranks with Shepherd's first detailed story of the Austrian retreat from Serbia, which he witnessed as correspondent with the Austrian army.

—Editor.

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD

United Press Staff Correspondent  
Salonika, Dec. 11—For nine days I have been watching the Salonika retreat of the Allies. From the front trenches, back to the harbor of Salonika, a strip of land 60 miles wide, I have seen the thousands of demonstrations and tokens of retirement.

I have talked to Gen. Sarrail, leader of the allies force here and to Gen. Baillud in the field, to majors, captains and privates of both the French and British forces and they have, more or less admitted that retreat is

under way. But one man whom I believed more than all the war departments and chancelleries of Europe, is the one who with his family and few household goods, loaded on a little rattling wagon, hauled by steers is coming to Salonika today. He's here for the first time, he is here in hundreds in all the phantasmagorie of wagons, horses, steers, motor busses and limosines, which fill the foggy water front streets of Salonika today. He lends a new and sombre color to the brown of the Greek, the green of the French the khaki of the British and the green of the Serbian soldiers.

He has done little. His very presence here with his family and his pitiful little possessions, speak louder than anything he can say. He is a refugee from Serbia. Not from Northern Serbia, where the Germans and Austrians have been sweeping Serbia clean, but from the Serbia soil that borders on Greece only 20 miles from here. The Germans and Austrians have not driven him out from his home; it is the work of the Bulgarians.

The patter of his oxen's feet and the creak of the rough wheels of his wagon say louder than any communique or any nice words of generals that the Bulgars are driving the allies back toward Salonika. You can always believe him, this man with his family traveling out in the cold and the mud with the worried face and the perplexed soul, he does not leave his home and his farm until he must, until the guns are booming and the shells are ploughing his farm for him. When he goes you can be sure the enemy is coming on behind him and that the army of his country is in retreat. I've seen him in Galicia, France, Italy, Serbia, Greece. He has never fled. His presence always means "retreat."

Being a Serbian, his Christmas will come on January 7. Small chance

Santa Claus will have to get down the chimney of this man's home this year. On the outskirts of Salonika, this afternoon men are erecting tents in a muddy field for the Serbian refugees and their families. Within the past six weeks nearly \$500,000 worth of American and British money has been sent here for such an emergency and today for the first time the money is being put to use. The harbor of Salonika is almost empty of boats, though usually it is full.

For several days, 16 transports loaded with troops who have newly come to Salonika and who have not disembarked, lay in the harbor. Now men—perhaps twenty of them—who must be embarked, if the allies should decide to withdraw.

If this thing should happen there would be a full three weeks fighting, the Bulgarians pressing against

the allied lines, trying to interfere with the embarkation. Salonika must be ringed with the ally trenches and ally soldiers must be fighting to hold back the Bulgars, while other allies soldiers work like beavers unloading the ships. All this if the Bulgars continue to press on to Salonika. Just at present the allies retreat is in full tide. The Bulgars are clearing the borders of Greece not much more than 25 miles from Salonika.

I have just been invited to see the British front. See the British front! The British have refused permission. British fronts in this war are hard to get to. Every British officer from Kitchener down has been against correspondents seeing the front.

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Picturized in the vibrant New York of today and yesterday. The whole production a lively battery of thrills, action and romance.

### GIRLS BEST PIG GROWERS

Capture Eleven of Twenty-four Prizes in North Dakota Contest.

Fargo, N. D., Jan. 14—While North Dakota boys were raising record yields of corn in the boy's acre-yield contest last season boys and girls were busy growing pigs in the annual pork production contest.

Edith Penno, fourteen years old, of near Grafton, carried off the first prize of \$100 given by the extension department of the agricultural college and a registered Yorkshire sow given by Thomas Canfield of Lake Park, Minn.

The results of the contest were announced by the extension department. There were twenty-four premiums offered and of this number eleven were carried off by girls.

Of the five highest premiums offered three were taken by girls.

### Bandits will be Punished

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 14—General Carranza has sent a message to his ambassador here that the bandits who killed the Americans at Chihuahua are being pursued and will meet certain punishment.

### Worked in the Hay Field

Arthur Jones, Allen, Kas., writes: "I have been troubled with bladder and kidney troubles for a good many years. If it were not for Foley Kidney Pills I would never be able to work in the hay field." Men and women past middle age find these pills a splendid remedy for weak, overworked or diseased kidneys. H. P. Dunn.—Adv.

### Huerta's Corpse Held Prisoner

(By United Press)

El Paso, Jan. 14—Huerta's corpse is virtually held a prisoner of the United States government which charges a conspiracy to violate neutrality.

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Best thing for constipation, sour stomach, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Stops a sick headache almost at once. Gives a most thorough and satisfactory flushing—no pain, no nausea. Keeps your system cleansed, sweet and wholesome. Ask for Citrolax.—H. P. Dunn.—Adv.

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## CASES UP TO GRAND JURY

Eight Citizens of Brainerd Charged with Indian Treaty Liquor Law Violations

## NOW IN COURT AT DULUTH

Nothing Known of Disposition of the Charges Until Grand Jury Concludes Action

Eight citizens of Brainerd, charged with Indian treaty liquor law violations, are in attendance at the federal court in Duluth and all the cases have gone to the grand jury which is now considering them.

Until some disposition of the cases made by the federal grand jury, nothing can be positively known of the fate of the Brainerd men accused of carrying liquor into Indian territory at Brainerd.

## BRAINERD TO PLAY

Basketball Quint to Battle Little Falls at Little Falls on Saturday Evening

Little Falls Transcript, Story by Sidney Kaye:—Saturday the Brainerd high school basketball five will journey to this city for a game with the local high school. They have a few new players this year, but are said to be stronger than the team was last year. The first game of the schedule was played at Wadena last week and Brainerd won by a score of 6 to 27.

Little Falls has played two games this winter, winning one from the Junni and losing one to the "All Stars" of Red Wing, and are in good trim to play the kind of game that people in this section are looking for. Wells Graham, captain, Ovid Bengtson, Oscar Levine, Stewart Shims, Lawrence Langley, Harry Dobbins and Norman Elvig will be the defenders of the orange and blue Saturday against those of the blue and white of Brainerd.

Brainerd high school enthusiasts are generally very good supporters of their teams on the local floor and are as much interested in them when they are playing on some other floor. A number of them will be in the city Saturday to witness the game.

Little Falls got the long end of it last year and are planning on doing the same thing this year. The game will be in the high school gymnasium and will begin at 8:15 sharp.

Relief for Jewish Sufferers. Chicago, Jan. 14.—More than \$200,000 has been raised in Chicago for the relief of Jewish sufferers in the European war zone, according to Moses E. Greenbaum, treasurer of the Chicago branch of the relief organization.

## BIG ACCIDENT JUST AVERTED

Duluth Noon Passenger Train Engine Breaks a Main Pin Just as it was Going out of Wrenshall

## WAIT FOR ANOTHER ENGINE

Old 1554, Monster Freight Engine, Given Engineer Thompson who Makes Brainerd 1 P. M.

A serious accident was narrowly averted at Wrenshall this morning when the Duluth noon passenger train quickly stalled as the main pin of the engine broke. Engineer Wm. J. Thompson said that had the pin broken while the engine was in full speed, it would have torn the locomotive to pieces and one can imagine what would have happened to the engineer and fireman when the engine was smashing itself into bits.

As it was, they stopped quickly at Wrenshall and waited an hour and then got a big freight engine, No. 1554, and running her, Engineer Thompson pulled his train into Brainerd but one hour late.

## OUR GOLF COLUMN

It is hoped that the present cold spell will kill off the gripe. The germs cannot stand great cold.—Superior Telegram.

Mrs. Charles E. Blomen, of Deerwood, has been quite ill the past two weeks and is still confined to her bed with the gripe.

E. E. Webb has been a grip victim this week.—Cuyuna Range Miner.

The attendance at the schools has been greatly decreased this week because of many of the pupils suffering from the gripe.—Deerwood Enterprise.

Crosby doctors state that the epidemic of grip, colds and pneumonia, having included almost every household and practically every member thereof, in Crosby, is showing signs of breaking away. Few individuals, from tiny babies to old folks, escaped without at least a mild case of grip, and if there is anything fraternal in it, the order is now the largest in the village.—Crosby Crucible.

The Friday Study club ladies of Crosby postponed their meeting scheduled to be held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Hayes because of the epidemic of the grip and pneumonia.

The la-gripe cases have let up some the past week, but still the doctors report that there are some hundred cases yet.—Crosby Courier.

Superficial Impression. "That man looks as if he had some thing on his mind."

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne, "but his conversation doesn't sound that way. He is a walking optical illusion."—Washington Star.

# Saturday the Last Day of Our Big Sale

Saturday will be the last day that every article in the store excepting Victrolas, Victor Records and Ladies' Home Journal Patterns will be sold at a reduction. Besides this general reduction, there are over one hundred special bargains to select from. Saturday will be a gala day for women—join the crowd.

Just a few of the bargains on sale--See the price tickets for others

25c Boy's Books—Boy Scouts, etc.....18c	10c Dress gingham—Basement.....6 1/2c	12 1/2c Flannelette dress goods.....9c	12 1/2c 32 inch gingham.....11c
\$1.00 Heavy wool vests—Basement.....79c	\$3.00 Wool union suits at but.....2.39	School handkerchiefs—the dozen.....19c	\$1.25 Flannelette house dresses.....89c
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50c Fleeced Union suits—Basement.....37 1/2c	50c Box paper.....25c	\$1.25 Children's wool union suits.....95c	\$1.00 Fleeced Union suits.....79c
3c Valenciennes Laces—Basement.....1c	10c Children's mittens—Basement.....8c	10c Outing flannel, white or colored.....7 1/2c	Lot \$1.50 Corsets at but.....98c
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Stamped bath towels.....less 1-3	25c Women's mittens—Basement.....15c	All Handkerchiefs.....1-3 off	55c Child's wool underwear, basemen.....37 1/2c
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## "MICHAEL'S"

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## OSCAR SEAGLE MAY SING HERE

Noted Baritone Singer appears with the Minneapolis Symphony at Minneapolis Jan. 29

## F. L. BIBB, HIS ACCOMPANIST

On Their Return May Have an Open Sale in February and Singer May Appear in Brainerd

It rests within the scope of possibilities that Oscar Seagle, noted singer of New York City, may find the opportunity to sing in Brainerd in February, appearing with his accompanist, Frank L. Bibb, pianist.

In Brainerd today was C. W. Bibb, of Minneapolis, who had been, visiting his friend, Dr. E. E. Long. Mr. Bibb is 60 years young, active and aggressive, and contemplates taking a course in general history at Columbia University, New York this term.

In speaking of his son, Mr. Bibb said the latter was accompanist for Mr. Seagle. He also mentioned that Mr. Seagle would appear with the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra at Minneapolis on January 29th.

"I think is possible for Brainerd or its enterprising Brainerd Musical club to make an engagement with Mr. Seagle to appear in Brainerd early in February before the latter returns to New York. I know he would be glad to sing in a city which has learned to know him, Miss Elizabeth Armstrong of your city being one of his pupils. If the Musical club wishes to take up the matter of Mr. Seagle's engagement in Brainerd they can address me at 1299 West Franklin, Minneapolis, and I shall be glad to confer with Mr. Seagle and my son."

## TANK AND STOVE WRECKED

Ashley McKinley Has Leg Injured When Confined Steam in Water Front of Range Explodes

Ashley McKinley, 624 north Fifth street, was seriously hurt when the tank and stove at his home were wrecked by an explosion caused by the over abundant generation of steam in the tank. There was a flying mass of iron, the ceiling and walls and curtains being damaged. Frozen pipes leading to the hot water tank prevented the expansion of the heated water from backing up into the mains and the steam was generated to the danger point.

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## STILL COLD THIS MORNING

Gull Lake Dam Reports 38 Below at 8 O'clock This Morning—Cold is Hanging On

At the Gull lake dam observatory Authur Mampel reports that this schedule of weather prevailed yesterday afternoon:

January 13 5 p. m.—22 below.  
7 p. m.—30 below.  
11 p. m.—32 below.

January 14 8 a. m.—38 below.

There are awful drifts in evidence at the dam. There are eleven buildings on the location and every time Mr. Mampel wants to go to one of them, the elusive wind from across the lake has blown the drifts up 6 feet or more. Brainerd, however, hopes the path to the thermometer may never plug up, as the spirit thermometer there is of standard government make and tells the truth when the mercury bulb curls up and sometimes refuses to operate at 38 or more below.

There was little wind last night. Trains were late, the Duluth train from the east, the St. Paul train from the south. A big freight traveled west, a double-header supplying the motive power. The passenger from the south with Engineer McLagan at the throttle came in looking like a sheet of ice with the engineer's whiskers frozen to the canvas.

It is in weather like this that the trainmen suffer terribly, but to their eternal credit be it said that this army works every bit as heroically as any army of soldiers. Not a man lays down. Not a train stalls if human ingenuity and labor can solve the problem. "Keep Moving" is the slogan on the Northern Pacific and the Minnesota & International railways.

## FROM REV. C. BENHAM

Col. A. J. Halsted Received a Letter From Former Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church

Col. A. J. Halster has received an interesting letter from Rev. Caleb Benham, who resigned the rectorship of St. Paul's Episcopal church last spring to go to Florida. He had purchased a farm there.

Rev. Benham writes that he has taken charge of St. Peter's church at Fernandina, Florida, where he is the greater part of the time, spending two days each week on his farm at Hilliard. Fernandina he describes as a beautiful place, two miles from the sea.

St. Peter's is a beautiful stone church, and the rectory is a fine house of fifteen rooms and all well furnished, and there are eight fireplaces. Oak trees covered with long trailings of moss canopy all the city, making it very beautiful.

On New Year's day Rev. Benham bathed in the sea. The thermometer was 76 above, decidedly warmer than in Brainerd at the time.

The Hole in the Pocket.  
The most dangerous hole in any man's pocket is always the one at the top.—London Mail.

## TODAY'S ODDEST STORY

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 14.—W. J. De La Mars, of Roblin, Man., is to leave here today for Washington, to perfect, he says 40 airships with which he claims he can destroy Berlin in a day. Each airship, he claims, will carry nine tons of nitro-glycerine and 30 barrels of gasoline, will be able to travel 150 miles an hour and stay in the air 26 days. He says he will build twenty airships at Washington for the British navy. The other 20 will protect North American shores.

## More Merchant Ships Needed.

Paris, Jan. 14.—To meet the transportation crisis resulting from the shortage of maritime shipping facilities the government has decided to ask parliament to authorize an advance by the treasury of 100,000,000 francs to ship owners so that they may increase their fleets by the buying of allied neutral vessels.

## Chiropractic Recognizes

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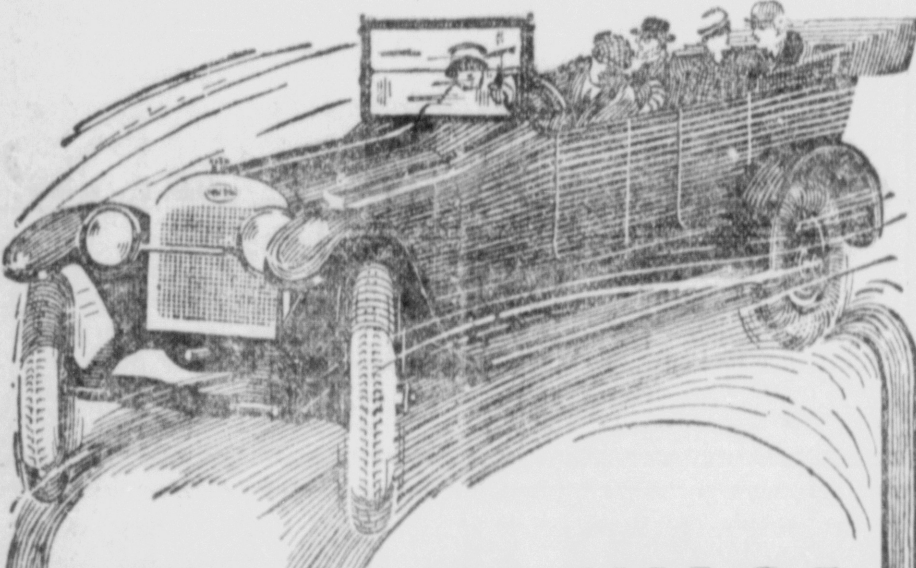
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## Some Americans Are Reported Safe

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 14.—An official dispatch from El Paso has been received stating that all Americans at Laredo, Chihuahua are safe. The dispatch said that the report that twelve had been murdered there was not confirmed.

## Declares Congress is Responsible

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 14.—Senator Works has introduced resolutions declaring that the responsibility for Mexico rests with Congress, not the executive. He declared for intervention.

## German Sailors Arrested at Wilmington

(By United Press)

Wilmington, Jan. 14.—Four escaped German sailors from the interned Kronprinz Wilhelm, at Newport News, were arrested.

## Fierce Rioting in El Paso

(By United Press)

El Paso, Jan. 14.—The city is quiet this morning following the rioting last night which filled the hospital with wounded Americans. Mexicans are being jailed or deported by the wholesale to prevent their massacre by angered cowboys. Twenty thousand Mexican residents stayed in their houses while United States troops with loaded guns and bayonets fixed kept the city quiet under martial law. The reports are that Americans are secretly organizing a regiment to invade Mexico if Wilson and Carranza fail to satisfactorily punish the bandits.

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## CHOOSE FIVE TO STAY IN EUROPE

Ford Peace Party Members Elect Permanent Board.

ALL WILL RECEIVE SALARIES

W. J. Bryan, Henry Ford, Miss Jane Addams, Rev. C. F. Aked and Mrs. Joseph Fels are the Successful Candidates—Five Other Members Will Be Chosen as Alternates.

The Hague, Jan. 14.—The Ford peace expedition has elected the following American members of the permanent peace board to sit in Europe indefinitely with the purpose of using all efforts to settle the war: William Jennings Bryan, Henry Ford, Miss Jane Addams, Rev. Charles F. Aked and Mrs. Joseph Fels of Philadelphia. Five other members will be chosen as alternates.

The board will be composed of an equal number of members from the various neutral countries and will remain in The Hague or Stockholm, with the financial backing of Mr. Ford. Each member will receive a salary and the entire expenses of the board probably will amount to \$500,000 yearly. Dr. Aked announced that he would offer his resignation from his San Francisco church.

Dr. George W. Kirchwey of Columbia university, New York, (now warden of Sing Sing prison) and Miss Emily Greene Balch of Wellesley university were among those defeated. They probably will be chosen as alternates. It is not known when Mr. Bryan and Mr. Ford will come here.

Judge Ben B. Lindsey of Denver refused to accept a nomination to the permanent board, but probably will remain in Europe indefinitely in the interest of orphans of the warring nations.

The body will later choose between The Hague or Stockholm for the sittings of the permanent board.

Most of the Americans will leave for New York on Saturday.

The election of Mr. Ford and Miss Addams was unanimous. Mr. Bryan was opposed by two votes.

## COAL IS SHORT IN AUSTRIA

Street Lighting, Suspended and Cooking by Gas Forbidden.

Zurich, Jan. 14.—A large part of Austria-Hungary is suffering severely from a shortage of coal. In Budapest electric lighting of the streets has been suspended and private consumers have been notified that they may soon expect the cutting off of their electric supply.

In Vienna cooking with gas has been forbidden.

Saloniki Attack Unconfirmed.

London, Jan. 14.—No news has reached here confirming the reports from Rome that the Teutonic attack on Saloniki has begun.

## AMERICA PRODUCES HALF OF ITS DYES

Washington, Jan. 14.—Seventeen months of the European war, according to a report issued by Dr. Thomas H. Norton, the government's dyestuff expert, has seen American manufactures increase fivefold and now this country is producing one-half of the colors it uses normally.

Hope is held out that by 1917 the great bulk of artificial dyes consumed here will be made by American works from American raw material.

The report shows that under stimulus of high prices American producers have increased their output until the country now is manufacturing coal tar dyes at the rate of 15,000 tons annually.

Before the war the country manufactured 3,000 tons and imported 25,700 tons, chiefly from Germany. Dr. Norton says, however, the textile industry is bound to suffer until America can produce enough dyes for its needs.

The report emphasizes the desirability of increasing aniline products rather than a varied line of dyes and declares the public will have to resign itself to fewer color shades.

## SEEK EQUAL RIGHTS FOR ALL

Appeal to Be Made to Belligerents After the War.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—A representative citizen of one of the neutral European countries will be sent to the capitals of the warring nations in an effort to obtain equal civil and religious rights for all inhabitants after the war.

Action to this end was taken at a meeting of the executive committee of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith. The status of Armenian Christians and Roumanian Jews at the close of the war was considered.

It was decided to sound out the various warring nations to find out the most acceptable means of presenting the demands when peace is considered.



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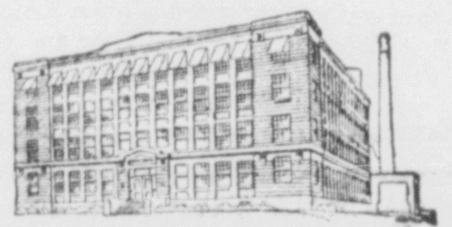
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